(a) whether the Railways propose to replace all the steam engines with electric or diesel engines;

(b) whether the Railways have decided to use indigenously manufactured electric locomotives of 6000 H.P. to accelerate the movement of goods trains;

(c) whether the electrification on congested track has proved cheaper and also has increased the speed of goods trains; and

(d) if so, to what extent?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) to (c) Yes, Sir.

(d) The cost of haulage of goods traffic by electric traction is about one-eighth of that of steam traction on B. G. and one-sixth on M. G. The average speed of goods trains on Indian Railways has increased from 16.1 kmph in 1960-61 to 21.9 kmph in 1983-84

इंडियन रेलवे कंस्ट्रक्शन कंपनी द्वारा अर्जित लाभ

*327. **श्री हुक्मदेव नारायण यादव:** क्या परिवहन मंत्री 20 नवम्बर, 1985 को राज्य सभा में तारांकित प्रश्न 60 के दिए गए उत्तर को देखेंगे और यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान इंडियन रेलवे कंस्ट्रक्शन कम्पनी द्वारा अर्जित किए गये लाभ और कामगारों और कामगारों को अदा किए गये बोनस की राशि का ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ख) क्या यह सच है कि दौरों पर खर्च की गई राशि के संबंध में आपत्ति की गई थी और लेखा परीक्षा तथा विभागकीय जांच में अनियमितताओं का पता चला था; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो उन व्यक्तियों के नाम क्या हैं जिनके विरुद्ध इस संबंध में कार्रवाई की गई है ।

रेल विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री माधवराव सिन्धिया) : (क) पिछले तीन वर्षों के दौरान अर्जित लाभ और पात्र कर्मचारियों को भुगतान किया गया बोनस इस प्रकार है :—

(आंकड़े लाख रुपयों में)

	1982-83	83-84	84-85
कर से पूर्व लाभ	815.8	1545	2055
कर के बाद लाभ	815.8	1275	1818
प्रदत्त बोनस	11.79	14.64	11.99

(ख) जी नहीं ।

(ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

Berlin symposium attended by Doctors of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital

*332. SHRI SYED AHMED HASHMI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of the doctors of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, New Delhi who attended a symposium held at Berlin in October, 1985;

(b) what are the names of the doctors who were provided free lodging, boarding etc. by a drug company M|s. Bohernigr knoll;

(c) whether it is also a fact that some doctors were not allowed to avail of this facility;

(d) if so, what are the reasons therefor; and

(e) whether, it is also a fact that the doctors who were permitted to avail of the above facility are in a position to give some business facilities to the above drug company?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI KRISHNAKUMAR): (a) and (b) Dr. P. D. Nigam, from Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, New Delhi attended a symposium on "Hypertension the Next Decade" held in Berlin, West Germany, in October, 1985 organised by Knoll A. G. Ludwigshafon, West Germany and presided over by Prof. A. Fleckenstein, Physiological Institute, University of Freiburg, F.R.G., and Dr. J.H. Laragh, Director, Cardiovascular Centre, New York Hospital/Medical Centre, New York, USA. The cost of travel and accommodation etc. of Dr. Nigam was met from an educational grant from Knoll A. G. Ludwigshafon.

(c) and (d) Prof. M. Khalilullah of G. B. Pant Hospital, New Delhi also received an invitation from the organisers to attend the same symposium and the Delhi Administration have stated that he did not participate in the symposium.

(e) No, Sir.

*334. [*Transferred to the 10th December*, 1985.]

Supply of substandard cartridges in the National Games

*335. SHRIMATI KRISHNA KAUL: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the complaints of the participants in the trap events of the recent National Games to the effect that substandard cartridges were supplied; and

(b) if so, the action proposed to be taken by Government to check the recurrence of such cases?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND WOMEN WELFARE (SMT. MARGARET ALVA): (a) Yes, Sir. The Indian Olympic Association have, however, stated that the best available indigenous cartridges were supplied for the trap event.

(b) This is a matter to be looked into by the Indian Olympic Association who organise National Games.

Re-admission of expelled students in the Central Universities

*336. DR. SHYAM SUNDAR MOHAPATRA:

SHRI V. GOPALSAMY:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the reply to Unstarred Question 1566 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 15th May, 1985 regarding expulsion of students in the Central Universities and state:

(a) whether any of the expelled students has been readmitted; and

(b) if so, what are the details including names of the students readmitted and the criteria adopted for the purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE (SMT. SUSHILA ROHATGI) (a) and (b) According to information received so far, the expulsion order against one more student, namely Shri N. R. Mohanty, in JNU was withdrawn. In the Delhi University and Jamia Millia Islamia, there was no further case of withdrawal of expulsion orders. Information in respect of Aligarh Muslim University and Banaras Hindu University is being obtained and will be placed on the Table of the House.

The Jawaharlal Nehru University have been reviewing the expulsion orders on the basis of the apology tendered by the students, furnishing an undertaking of good conduct in future, and payment of fine, if any.